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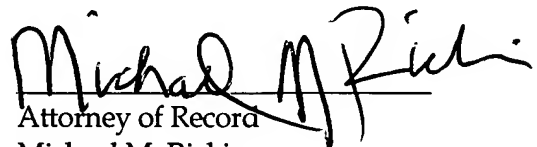
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1. Part B Fee(s) Transmittal Form PTOL-85; with the authorization to charge the deposit account No. 05-0877 in the amount of \$1630.00 to cover the issue and publication fees, in duplicate.
2. Submittal of Letter to the Official Draftsman and Submission of Corrected Drawings which includes changes required by the proposed drawing correction filed June 25, 2003.
3. Submittal of certified copy of the German Application No. 00127903.3.
4. Postal card acknowledging receipt for filing

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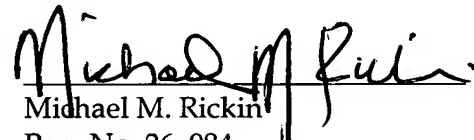
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the corrected formal drawing figures for the above-identified application, as well as an accompanying paper describing the submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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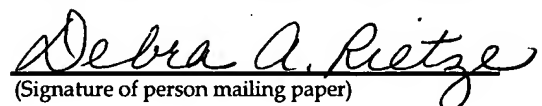

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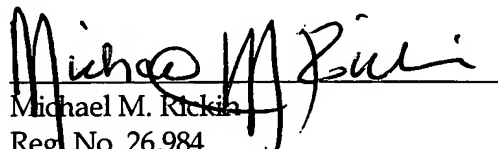
Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated February 6, 2004 for the above application which stated that corrected formal drawings are now required, applicant does hereby submit on US letter size paper the corrected formal drawing figure(s).

The corrected formal drawing figure(s) are being submitted as set forth in the "Helpful Hints from the PTO" published in 1091 O.G., on June 23, 1988 in that only one high quality copy be submitted.

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